

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
ASHEVILLE DIVISION
CIVIL CASE NO. 1:18-cv-00226-MR-WCM**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	<u>ORDER</u>
)	
APPROXIMATELY \$13,594 IN FUNDS)	
SEIZED FROM JERRELL TITO)	
BOWMAN,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

THIS MATTER is before the Court *sua sponte*.

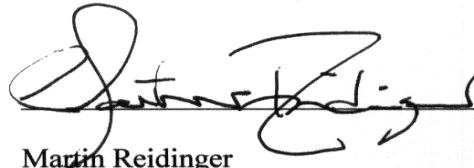
The Government initiated this civil *in rem* action on August 7, 2018. [Doc. 1]. On October 3, 2018, the Government filed a Declaration of Publication, advising that notice of this action was published on an official government internet site for at least thirty (30) days consecutive days beginning on August 22, 2018. [Doc. 5]. Since the filing of Declaration of Publication, it appears that the Government has taken no steps to prosecute this action further.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that that within fourteen (14) days of the entry of this Order, the Government shall file an appropriate motion or otherwise take further appropriate action in this case. **The Government is**

advised that failure to take such further action will result in the dismissal of this civil action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed: February 8, 2019


Martin Reidinger
United States District Judge

